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C O N F I D E N T I A L GEORGETOWN 0133

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PDIP, GY, KN
SUBJECT: ESTABLISHMENT OF RESIDENT NORTH KOREAN MISSION

REF: SEOUL 0407 (NOTAL)

1. DURING LONG DISCUSSION WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ON
JANUARY 19, CHARGE RAISED QUESTION OF NEWLY ESTABLISHED
MISSION BY DPRK. WILLS SAID THAT PRC HAD SPONSORED NORTH
KOREANS AND HAD INDICATED DPRK WAS DESIROUS OF OPENING
MISSION HERE AS SOLIDARITY GESTURE. WILLS SAID THAT MKD
AGREED TO PERMIT NORTH KOREANS TO OPEN MISSION PROVIDED THEY
DID NOT ENGAGE IN SMUGGLING ACTIVITIES SO WIDELY PUBLICIZED
RECENTLY. WILLS INDICATED NORTH KOREANS APPEARED
APPROPRIATELY GRATEFUL AND HE DID NOT ANTICIPATE PROBLEMS
AT THIS TIME.

2. EMBASSY HAS SINCE LEARNED THAT DPRK STAFF WILL
HAVE THREE MEMBERS: CHARGE LI SANG IL, THIRD
SECRETARY JO MYONG GUK, AND "STAFF" KIM CHOL HO.
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